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City Manager Eileen Donoghue
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Members of the City Council

Re: Motion Response – Crime Stoppers Hotline

Dear Manager Donoghue, Mayor Samaras and Members of the City Council:

I write regarding the status of “Crime Stoppers of Lowell, Inc.” Crime Stoppers is a private corporation, neither owned or controlled by the City. Pursuant to a records review of the Secretary of State’s Office, the last Annual Report was filed on November 1, 2012. According to the report, the last meeting of this organization was June 27, 2012.

M.G.L. c. 180, § 26A requires annual filings of such reports for all Massachusetts corporations, other than certain non-profits. Based on the absence of annual filings, it appears that Crime Stoppers of Lowell, Inc. is not currently in good standing as a Massachusetts corporation.

Very truly yours,

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